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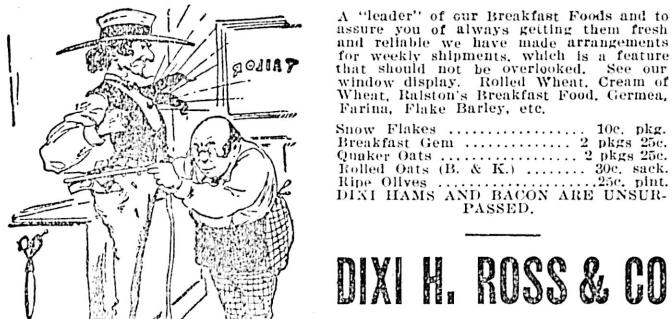
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RUSSIA LAND GRAB.

Negotiating With China For Three  
Eastern Provinces.

London, Jan. 29.—Strong evidence

exists," says the Shanghai correspondent of the Morning Post, writing yesterday, "that negotiations are on foot between China and Russia with regard to the cession of three eastern provinces."

TO CURE THE GRIP IN TWO DAYS

Laxative Bromo-Quinine removes the cause.

A FRIENDLY ACT.

New York Stock Exchange Will Close  
on Saturday.

New York, Jan. 29.—The governors of the New York Stock Exchange to-day decided to suspend business on Saturday, February 2, in respect to the memory of Queen Victoria, whose funeral will take place on that day.

They make one feel as though life was

worth living. Take one of Carter's Little

Liver Pills after eating; it will relieve

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## Preparing Funeral

The Dead Queen Will be Carried in State from Cowes.

Lines of Warships Will Salute as the Royal Yacht Passes.

Great Precautions to Guard the Foreign Royal Personages in London.

Cowes, Jan. 29.—Duke Albrecht will represent the King of Wurttemburg at the Queen's funeral. The Crown Prince Ferdinand of Roumania is expected on Thursday night in London. The Orleans family will be represented by the Duke of Chartres, younger brother of the late Count of Paris, the Duke of Alenon and the Count of Eu, sons of the late Duke of Nemours, between whom and the late Queen, Louis Philippe, in 1838, tried hard to arrange a marriage. The King's order directing that the draping of buildings be purple has created no little consternation. Many buildings here and in London and other places are already covered with black. It will cause no end of expense to make the necessary alterations. In addition the supply of purple is getting short.

The coffin will be borne from Osborne House by the Queen's Highlanders on Friday at 1:15 p.m. in a gun carriage. The household of the late Queen, the royal servants and the teneantry will be drawn up on the carriage drive. The Queen's pipes will lead the procession through the King's Gate to Trinity pier. There will be an imposing military display along the route, massed bands and drummers playing funeral marches. Behind the coffin will walk Admiral Sir Michael Culme-Seymour (first and principal aid de camp to the Queen since 1850), the King, Emperor William, the Duke of Connaught, Crown Prince Frederick William of Germany, the Duke of York, Prince Henry of Prussia, Prince Christian of Schleswig-Holstein, and other princes. Then will come Queen Alexandra, the Duchess of York and other princesses. Bluejackets will bear the coffin from the pier to the Royal yacht Alberta, while admiral Culme-Seymour, four naval aides de camp and two ladies-in-waiting will accompany the remains.

The King, the Queen and Emperor William and other members of the royal family will embark on board the royal yacht Victoria and Albert.

London, Jan. 29.—His Majesty was vociferously cheered on his way to Marlborough House. The Privy council has ordered the Archbishop of Canterbury to prepare a special form of service in commemoration of the Queen to be used on Saturday in all churches in the kingdom. The Duke and Duchess of Aosta (the former is a cousin of the King of Italy, and the latter a daughter of the late Count of Paris), will arrive here on Thursday. The war office has invited colonial officers and soldiers in England to take part in the funeral procession. Minuteman guns will be fired from all ships in the Solent and at Cowes, commencing when the Alberta leaves Trinity pier. Each ship will cease fire immediately as the end of the procession passes her. After the procession has passed, the battleship Majestic and the forts and ships in Portsmouth harbor will commence firing their guns, and continue to do so until the Alberta is alongside. No standards will be displayed. Ensigns and Union Jacks will be half-mast. Admirals' flags will be fully hoisted. As the procession passes each ship the crew will present arms and then rest on lowered arms until the procession has gone, the band meanwhile playing funeral marches.

The malady from which the Duke of Cornwall and York is suffering is the German malady, and this is the explanation of his failure to visit the Emperor William on the anniversary of his birthday, and his absence from the ceremony of investing Crown Prince Frederick William with the insignia of the Order of the Garter. Sir Francis Laking, for many years surgeon to the late Queen, is attending him. Duke Johann Albrecht of Mecklenburg-Schwerin was taken down with the measles ten days ago.

The entire detective machinery of the United Kingdom and the Continent has been set in motion to protect the royal personages and other notable people now gathering in London. Unwieldy as the Continental secret service often appears to be every effort is being made to unify them in order that no injury may befall any royal personage attendant upon the obsequies of the late Queen.

Sir Edward Bradford, the energetic one-armed commissioner of police of the Metropolis, has devised elaborate plans to deal with the crush expected on Saturday; but to protect the kingly and princely guests precautions have been taken which are illustrated by the fact that Sir Edward Bradford's residence is surrounded night and day by constables in plain clothes and detectives, and that no person is allowed to approach unless his card has been passed in.

These precautions are applied in the case of all royal personages and the principal officers of the crown. Scotland Yard maintains the most intimate and secret affiliation with every detective agency in the world, and its devices for tracing Continental suspects are now being operated under Chief Inspector Frank Frees, who is reputed to have a wider acquaintance with the rogues of the world than any other police chief in Europe.

Maltese and other anarchists residing in London assert there is not the slightest probability of violence, because England is an asylum for the persecuted of the Continent.

Coventry detectives are stationed in large numbers on both sides of the Medina river, enquiring into the antecedents of strangers, and watching all who approach the royal personages.

Nothing definite is feared, but the government desires that the utmost diligence should be exercised, especially with a view of keeping Emperor William from harm.

In London active preparations are being made all along the route. Houses are being draped and seating accommodation is being provided. A committee of ladies has obtained permission to hang wreaths of evergreens along the line one to be affixed to each lamp-post and all being three feet in diameter, of uniform pattern.

Of all the ceremonies, no doubt the naval will be the finest pageant. The Alberta, with the body, will slowly steam along a line of battleships extending eight miles. Facing these giants of the British navy will be smaller vessels and numerous foreign battleships. Whatever the weather may be, the spectacle of the remains of Victoria traversing a line of warships, the guns of all booming, will be unique.

HONOR THE KING.

Berlin, Jan. 29.—The Military Worsenblatt, the official army organ, announces that Emperor William has appointed King Edward VII, to be chief of the late Queen Victoria's Dragoon regiment of the Guard.

MILITARY COURTESY.

Manila, Jan. 29.—Gen. MacArthur has issued orders that all duty throughout the division, excepting necessary guard and field duty, be suspended on the day of Queen Victoria's funeral.

At reveille a national salute will be fired, and single guns will be fired half-hourly from sunrise to sunset.

The Canners Are Combining

And the Fishermen Are Forming Unions for the Coming Season.

Dominion Government to be Asked to Cancel Naturalization of Japanese.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Vancouver, Jan. 29.—A series of meetings is being held by the canners in connection with a new combine to be arranged for the coming season. A prominent canner informed the Colonist correspondent yesterday that this year every canner on the river would be included in the pool, but that the purposes of the combine were the same as last season.

In the meantime the fishermen report that they have five strong unions organized for the purpose of acting unitedly as the mouthpieces for the unions, and transact all their business as between the unions and the canners' combine.

The King, the Queen and Emperor William and other members of the royal family will embark on board the royal yacht Victoria and Albert.

In this connection, Mr. J. H. Watson, who took a prominent part in organizing the fishermen's unions last season, states that the Canadian government have been asked to cancel all naturalization certificates issued to Japanese last season, on the ground that a very large percentage of them were fraudulently obtained.

It is also hoped by the fishermen that the immigration act will prevent most of these Japanese who were fishing here last year and who have been wintering in the United States, from returning to this country.

Major Townley has issued his inaugural address. He would convert the city hall into offices for the clerks. He would build two new fire halls and a city jail. He would submit another by-law to the people for the acquisition of English bay beach. He would appoint a waterworks superintendent and a street superintendent, thus relieving the city engineer of some of his duties, there being too many for one man to perform properly. He thought a system of seaviewing should be introduced; the "superannuated" fire horses to be utilized for the purpose. He thought the street railway should be invited to extend their tracks to the Hastings race course and the cemetery, and that the election for school trustees should be held on a different date from the election for mayor and aldermen.

GOVERNMENT WILL NOT PAY

Sanction for Memorial Service in Ottawa Protestant Cathedral Withdrawn.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Ottawa, Jan. 29.—The biggest sensation for many a year developed to-day. After announcements of elaborate arrangements for a memorial service in Christ Church cathedral on Saturday, the Governor-General was informed this morning that the government withdrew its consent to the function, and would not let the cost of mourning emblems. No cause was assigned for this extraordinary action, but a minister told me to-night that the government felt it would be recognizing the Church of England as a State church, if official recognition was given as originally designed.

The government, however, forgoes that on the occasion of Sir John Thompson's death state memorial services were held there in the Roman Catholic cathedral, which was draped at public expense, at a cost of \$750.

The government's action on the present occasion is generally condemned.

Everybody is wondering whence the influence which led the government to take its extraordinary step.

Winnipeg, Jan. 29.—(Special)—Donald Todd, a half-breed, aged 33, was arrested here late last night, charged with the murder of John Gordon in October, 1899. Gordon was returning home early in the evening in a half-drunk condition, and was found some hours later dead, with his pockets rifled. His murder has been a mystery, and the arrest is the first in connection with the case. The evidence against Todd is said to be strong.

There are a great many people that cannot take cod liver oil, either pure or in the form of emulsion. To all such we recommend a teaspoonful of Gray's Syrup to a dessert-spoonful of oil or emulsion; it makes the oil palatable and proves a very efficient remedy for all lung affections.

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Great Britain  
To GermanyKing Edward's Words to the  
Crown Prince Breathe  
Friendship.Hope That the Countries May  
Go Forward Hand in  
Hand.

London, Jan. 29.—The following is the text of the address of King Edward VII, to the Crown Prince of Germany, Frederick William, on the occasion of His Majesty putting the insignia of the Order of the Garter on the Crown Prince in the Council Chamber of Osborne House, yesterday morning:

"Sir.—In conferring on your Imperial and Royal Highness the ancient and most noble Order of the Garter, which was founded by my ancestor, Edward III, in 1349, many centuries ago, I invest you with the Order of Knighthood, not only as the heir to the throne of a mighty empire, but also as my most beloved, the Queen, to bestow it on you, as a mark of her favor. I am only carrying out her wishes, and I am glad to do so to one of my illustrious relatives."

"To the German Emperor, to whom I wish to express my sincere thanks for having come at a moment's notice to this country, and for having assisted in tending and watching over the Queen and remaining here until her last moment, I desire to express the hope that my action in conferring on you this ancient order may yet further cement and strengthen the feeling which exists between the two great countries, and that we may go forward hand in hand with the high object of insuring peace and promoting the advances of civilization of the world."

King Edward and the Duke of Cambridge arrived in London at 3 o'clock this afternoon. A large crowd welcomed the King at Victoria station. His Majesty will finally approve of the funeral arrangements during the afternoon.

It is now understood the funeral procession in London will be approximately as follows: A sovereign's escort of 100 Life Guards; the massed bands of three regiments of Foot Guards; Field Marshal Earl Roberts and the headquarters staff; an army gun carriage with the body; the King, supported by the German Emperor; the King of Portugal and other sovereigns in the order of precedence; the Dukes of Connaught and York; equestrain and aides-de-camp in attendance on royal personages; Queen Alexandra, the Duchess of Saxe-Coburg and Gotha, and other royal princesses in four carriages, deeply draped; and in the rear of the procession another sovereign's escort of 100 Life Guards.

It is estimated that 60 royal princes will participate in the procession.

As the funeral will be of a military character, there will probably be no pall-bearers, although at Windsor certain generals may act in this capacity while the coffin is being carried up the nave of St. George's church.

Consequently, Jan. 29.—King Edward left for London this morning.

The Duke of York is suffering from the strain entailed by recent events, and has been confined to his room since Thursday.

It is feared he will be unable to take part in the ceremonies of Friday.

The outer coffin arrived last night.

The non-commissioned officers detailed to carry the coffin rehearsed to-day with a dummy coffin filled with sand and weighing over half a ton.

The main wing of Osborne House is expected to become the residence of Princess Beatrice, Princess Henry of Battenberg, in her capacity as governor of the Isle of Wight. The other part of the house will be reserved for the King.

General Sir Digton Probyn, comptroller and treasurer of the household of the Prince of Wales since 1877, is mentioned as likely to succeed Lord Edward Polham-Clinton as master of the household. The office is in the personal gift of the King.

Crown Prince Frederick of Denmark is expected to arrive in London to-morrow.

Prince Henry of Prussia sailed from Kiel yesterday on board the German battleship Baden, accompanied by the crew of the deck ship Hagen.

Prince George of Saxony is prevented by influenza from coming to the funeral.

Prince John George will take his place.

## SENTENCED.

New Jersey Murderers Get Thirty Years  
With Hard Labor.

Paterson, N.J., Jan. 29.—Judge Dixon to-day sentenced McAllister Campbell and Death, convicted of murder in the second degree, in causing the death of the mill girl, Bosscher, to the full penalty of the thirty years at hard labor.

Kerr, the fourth man, who pleaded not guilty, contended to the charge of rape, was given fifteen years at hard labor, the full penalty under that plea.

## GENERAL GOURKO DEAD.

Hero of the Shikpa Pass and a Brilliant Military Genius Gone.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 29.—Field Marshal Count Gourko died to-day in his estate at Scharow, near Tzar.

Count Joseph Vassilyevitch Gourko was of Lithuanian origin and was born in 1828. He was educated in the Imperial Corps de Pages and entered the Russian army in 1846 as ensign of Hussars of the Imperial Body Guard. He served through the Crimean, but his great fame as a general came in the Russo-Turkish war, when his name became familiar as one of the most skillful and brave generals in the Russian army. His occupation and defence of the Shikpa Pass and his march across the Balkans in the early days of which were wonderful achievements. He was made a general in 1878, was appointed governor-general of St. Petersburg in 1879, and after a period of retirement, he became governor-general of Poland, and became field marshal in the Russian army.

THE CANADIAN  
NORTHERN ROADPushing the Railway Through  
to the Pacific Ocean—the Route.

The Canadian Northern and South-eastern, practically the same road under the same management, is destined to become one of the most important railroads in America, says the Winnipeg Free Press, and yet few persons, even Manitobans, know much about it. Mr. D. B. Hanna, the general superintendent, and Messrs. Mackenzie & Mann, the builders of this railroad, have their offices and staff in Winnipeg, which is the centre of all work done on this line.

The Southeastern section has now reached a point about 156 miles south-east of Winnipeg, on the American side. Its present objective point is Port Arthur; and soon, no doubt, it will have connections with Duluth, too. There is much timber east of Winnipeg on this line, and already large quantities of wood and logs reach Winnipeg over it. A sawmill requiring over 200 men to operate it is being built in Winnipeg, and the logs for it will come all rail over this line. The distance from Winnipeg to Port Arthur over this road will be about 435 miles.

The Northwestern extension of the road has now reached Red Deer river, about 300 miles northwest of Winnipeg. At present traffic for this line is over the C. P. R. and M. & N. W. as far as Gladstone, as the Canadian Northern has not yet completed a line of its own between Winnipeg and Gladstone, and will do so soon. At Red Deer river it turns in a westerly direction, and will run almost straight with the Saskatchewan to Edmonton. At Edmonton, before it reaches there, it will cross the Saskatchewan and continue its course on to the Pacific ocean, where no doubt Port Simpson will be its final terminus in the west.

This road will have important northern connections. One is to the Hudson Bay, and one is to Peace River. No person who knows anything about our northern country has any doubt that we will have railway connections with the Hudson Bay and with the Peace River in the near future. No doubt there will be railroad connections from Edmonton to Dawson City, and through Alaska, across Behring Straits to Asia, connecting with the great Russian railway nearly completed and about 5,000 miles long.

The Canadian Northern proper, when completed, will be a road connecting Port Arthur, on Lake Superior, with Port Simpson, on the Pacific Coast. Along almost the entire course of this road, west of Winnipeg and a point about 60 miles west of Edmonton, exists almost an unbroken grain field, and suited well for grain as for ranching. Quite a large portion of the country along the line east of Winnipeg is well suited for grain and ranching.

The principal towns at present on the course of this road between Winnipeg and the Rocky Mountains are Portage, Gladstone, Swan River, Prince Albert, Carlton, Battleford and Edmonton.

This road will be a more direct route than any other for much of the through Pacific freight, and the hundreds of miles of good country through which it passes insures a very heavy local traffic for it.

Edmonton has abundance of good coal. The price of coal delivered in the town is \$1.50 a ton. Every bank in the town has scales for weighing coal dust taken from the sands of the river. The Calgary & Edmonton line reaches Strathcona, opposite Edmonton on the south side of the river, but has not yet crossed the river into Edmonton. There is an iron bridge across the river between the two towns, which are about two and a half miles apart. Some days over 10,000 bushels of grain are marketed in Edmonton. We predict that Edmonton will become a city and one of the most important places on the Canadian Northern. The town is beautifully situated on the banks of the North Saskatchewan, on the north side of the river.

At a committee meeting of the board of federated societies to be held this morning at the office of Phil R. Smith, final arrangements for societies' demonstration on the day of the Queen's funeral will be made. An endeavor is being made to have the military bodies co-operate with the societies in the services at Vancouver, spent last evening in the city.

J. A. Blair, of Barkerville, is staying at Dominion. He is here to purchase supplies.

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H. R. Waterer, of Seattle, is at the Dominion, en route to Dawson and will purchase supplies here.

A. F. Snowden, of Toronto, was among the arrivals by the Charmer yesterday evening. He is at the Dr. D. R. Webster.

James Osborne, of Vancouver, is among those registered at the Hotel Victoria.

William Gidley, of the Cowichan mills, returned from the Malahat last evening. Mrs. A. F. Armit and Mrs



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## EDITORIAL LETTER.

British Columbians in Ottawa felt more than gratified, after reading the despatches in the morning paper, at the signal manner in which the death of Her Majesty was observed in our province. They also felt a thrill of pride because the name of this province was, alone of all the provinces, coupled with that of the Dominion in the message from Mr. Chamberlain to the Governor-General, acknowledging the expressions of sympathy received from Canada. I suppose Ottawa feels the national bereavement as much as any other place, but the expression of it is not conspicuous. A gentleman well known to Victorians, and at the head of an important industry in British Columbia, who has been living in Ottawa for a few months, said that on Monday he asked a bellboy, a youth of at least 17 years: "What news is there from the Queen this morning?" The boy replied: "What Queen?" And the comment of the gentleman in relating the incident was that he did not believe there was a child in British Columbia, within the reach of the telegraph, who would have disclosed such ignorance.

I do not know how many people live in this town. Some people say 60,000. I do not believe that at any one time there were more than twenty-five of them before the bulletin boards. When the fatal news came, the flags were put at half-mast and all the bells in the city were tolled for a short time, but there was no apparent ruffle on the surface of the community. Business went on just as usual. To-day one or two stores have made a display of mourning.

My explanation of this apathy is that Ottawa takes its cue from the government, and hence there is a lack of initiative on the part of the people. Indeed, the papers say the people are waiting for the government to make some declaration as to the time and manner of public mourning. This is all very well, but one accustomed to the hearty and spontaneous expression of feeling, characteristic of our provinces and especially of Victoria, is disposed to think that the frost has got into the blood of the people hereabouts.

We are having what they call fine winter weather. The Coast people do not think so. We do not like changes from 22 below zero to 40 above in a night, and then to 12 below in the next 24 hours. We all want to go home, and there is not a man in the lot—and there are quite a number of Westerners here—who will not start for the West the very moment he can get away.

Ottawa is growing rapidly, so her townsmen say. They look forward to its becoming a great social centre, and so it ought to. Time will of course be necessary to enable such anticipations to be realized to the full extent, but it is easy to see that there are existent here all the necessary elements.

At the Russell House, even at this time of year, one meets people from all parts of the Dominion. In conversation with them one cannot fail to be impressed with the strength of the Canadian sentiment and the supreme confidence felt by them in the future of our country. They are all greatly interested in the West, and I have yet to meet man or woman who is not contemplating a visit to Victoria. If they have been here, they say they are coming back to stay longer. If they have not been here, they say they are coming to see what it is like. I have a notion that if about 10,000 copies of the Victoria section of the last Board of Trade report were printed and sent to this hotel, and arrangements were made with the owner of the news stand to offer one to every person buying newspaper, a great deal of good would result. I was talking yesterday with a Judge of the Supreme Court from one of the Maritime Provinces. He spoke of the rivalry between Victoria and Vancouver, and was surprised when I told him there was plenty of room for both cities.

"Is that so?" he asked; "I thought they were close together."

I am violating no confidence when I say that the one man, whom I have met since leaving home, to show anything like an appreciative knowledge of the resources of Vancouver Island, was the Minister of Railways. He made me no promises, and I had no right to ask him for any; but it is satisfactory to know that he is able to bring to bear upon the discussion of any question affecting the Island a hearty appreciation of what it is capable of becoming.

CHAS. H. LUGRIN,  
BEACON HILL PARK.

The Colonist has received several communications from citizens complaining of the destruction of trees and shrubs, and the disfigurement of the landscape by excavating for gravel, which, it is alleged, is going on in the southeast end of Beacon Hill Park. We are not prepared to say that the complaints are justified, but it is certainly a matter which should command the immediate attention of the Park Committee, and if injury is being done to the grounds or shrubbery, it should be put a stop to at once. Beacon Hill Park is too precious a public demense to be allowed to suffer damage through the carelessness or want of forethought of those who are immediately responsible for its care and maintenance, and those in authority should keep a watchful eye on their subordinates at all times, so as to prevent anything approaching a waste of its natural beauties. The Park affords unbounded opportunities for the exercise of the art of the landscape gardener and any borrowing of material from one portion of it for the improvement of another might easily be made a medium of improving the whole, instead of leaving unsightly spots in a prospect to which nature has been so kind.

S. P. C. A.

The object of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals is one which appeals to all classes and all creeds, and which should enlist not only the sympathy, but the active co-operation of every man, woman and child in the community. The work which it has set for itself is difficult under the limited powers which it possesses, and without the hearty assistance of non-members, is nullified to a great extent. People witness acts of cruelty to our dumb fellow-creatures, and cry shame on the human brutes who inflict the torture, but the case is exceptional where the average man or woman will keep his or her indignation and pity warm long enough to take action and see the perpetrator of the cruelty adequately punished—it is generally a case of out of sight, out of mind. The Victoria branch, although little before the general public, is quietly doing a great deal of good work, its latest move being to urge upon the city council certain important amendments to the Cruelty to Animals by-law, which it deems to have incorporated in the new consolidated by-laws of the city.

The Provincial society will hold its annual meeting at Vancouver this week, where delegates from all parts of the Province will attend and exchange views on the best methods of extending the scope of the work of mercy. If the Colonist might offer a suggestion, it would be that the society take steps to establish juvenile branches in every school in the Province. Lessons of kindness to animals learned in childhood have more lasting results than any other method. The co-operation of trustees and teachers should be easily secured, as, far from interfering with the work of education, the teachings of the society would prove a valuable incentive to the study of animal, bird and insect life.

## THE GOLDEN NORTH.

The announcement of the discovery of more rich placer ground within sixty miles of Atlin causes neither surprise nor excitement. Mining men generally who know Northern British Columbia are so firmly convinced that there are vast stores of the precious metal as yet undiscovered in those regions that it would be hard to conceive a report sufficiently startling as to stir their pulses. The mining divisions of Skeena, Stikine, Teslin, Atlin, Omineca and Liard are as yet practically unknown. Placer gold and gold-bearing quartz ledges are known to exist there; they have been found wherever the prospector has sought for them, but the means of access is so limited that it is impossible to develop any save those that are found on the bank of some stream or lake, and many of those even are very difficult to be got at. The provincial government, with the limited revenue at its command, can do very little towards throwing open this great treasure house, but all that is possible will be done as speedily as may be to enable the prospector and miner to thoroughly explore the country. The Dominion government might assist the development of these northern mining fields very materially by sending in the explorers attached to the geological branch of the Department of the Interior. Such action would, if reports were favorable, serve to attract miners to the country lying between the Coast and Yukon, and thus serve as a feeder and a connecting link to the interior. A railway paralleling the Coast range of mountains will ultimately give access to these districts, and as such a road would be decided in the interests of the whole Dominion, it should be constructed or liberally aided by the Dominion government.

It is a noteworthy fact that the latest discoveries are nearer the coast than the Atlin mines, and therefore the easier of access. This should stimulate further exploitation in the vicinity of the Lynn Canal and attract large numbers of prospectors at the opening of spring, adding greatly to the trade of Victoria with the Atlin district. The improved

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## Victoria Vancouver Kamloops

steamship service which it is anticipated will be established shortly, should secure to this city a very great percentage of this important trade, and if the business men are wise and energetic enough to insist upon Victoria getting the best service available during the coming season, their commercial relations with the northern country will become permanent, so that, when the railway is extended to the north end of the Island, the trade will be flowing through a natural channel from which it will be next to impossible to divert it.

Stamp collectors and dealers will be pleased to hear that Mr. Mulock has already ordered designs for a new set of postage stamps for Canada. This will be the third change since he has taken office, and it is to be hoped that the new stamps will be an improvement upon the present ones, which are far from being satisfactory in design, either artistically or for use, as the profile of Her late Majesty is so indistinctly colored as to cause confusion when affixing them to the envelope.

While Great Britain and Western Europe are snow-bound and swept by destructive hurricanes, we are enjoying the most superb weather, bright sunshine and temperate breezes. Life may have its drawbacks on Vancouver Island, as in every other portion of the world, but it is a fact that these do not consist of violent storms or sudden extremes of temperature.

A New York man recommends the wearing of an undershirt soaked in strong brine, and allowed to dry, as a remedy for pulmonary diseases and grippe. So much has been said recently of the virtues of salt as a restorer of vital energy that we may expect immovable claims for its efficacy in the cure or prevention of disease. The New Yorker's consumption cure is a simple one, and perhaps worth trying, as, if it does no good, it is not likely to cause injury.

The pension bill now before the United States congress calls for the enormous appropriation of \$145,245,230. This, at the end of thirty-six years after the civil war, is more than fifty times what the public was paying in pensions in 1878, thirteen years after the "unpleasantness." The veterans of the G. A. R. must be a healthy lot for, far from their number diminishing with the years, they increase at a much greater ratio than the ordinary population of the states. Twenty years ago there were but 250,802 pensioners on the roll; ten years ago their ranks had increased to 537,944, and at the present time there are 903,520 survivors of the war who seek compensation for their wounds and sufferings.

How It Goe in St. Louis  
During the present cold and grippe season one hundred and thirty-two thousand seven hundred and twenty-eight boxes of Laxative Bromo-Quinine have been purchased by the following wholesale houses of St. Louis: Meyer Bros., Drug Co., Merrell-West Drug Co. and J. S. Merrill Drug Co.

## COLONIST SPECIAL NUMBER.

So great has been the demand for copies of the Colonist's special Twentieth Century number that a second edition has been demanded. This issue is indeed a creditable one, through its exploring the sources and advantages of Vancouver Island and in a manner that is both interesting and instructive.—The Province.

Last Sunday the Victoria Colonist's special Twentieth Century number, of 40 pages, with some 200 fine cuts, it was devoted principally to Vancouver Island and its great resources. The publication compares very favorably with any similar undertaking issued in this country. The Colonist did not pride itself in its name more sonorous number. Send one to your friends abroad.—The Independent.

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## Societies' Notice.

An invitation is extended to all Societies by the Societies' Memorial Service Committee to attend the Memorial Service on Saturday afternoon, next, 2nd February. A representative from each lodge accepting will attend the Committee meeting Thursday evening at 8:15 at the rooms of the Victoria P. &amp; P. Co., corner Government and Yates streets.

W. H. PRICE, PHIL R. SMITH, Chairman.

Secretary.

NOTICE

An Extraordinary General Meeting of the shareholders of the Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway Company will be held at the Esquimalt Wharf on Friday, the 15th day of February, 1901, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

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CHAS. E. POOLEY, Secretary.

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Drill To-night.—A full attendance is requested at this evening's drill or No. 4 Company, Fifth Regiment. It is expected that an announcement will be made in connection with Saturday's parade.

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New Office.—Mr. Thomas Hooper, architect, is calling for tenders for a two-story brick residence and office to be erected at the corner of Douglas and Kane streets by Dr. R. L. Fraser. The building is to have a basement, and is to be modern in every respect. It is to be heated by hot air, and is to be provided with electric bells, speaking tubes, and lighted by electricity. There are to be fifteen rooms—eight on the ground floor and seven on the first floor; while in the basement there will be a laundry, furnace, fuel and store rooms. The office entrance is to be on Douglas street, and the residence entrance on Kane street.

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The date fixed—April 10 was yesterday morning in chambers fixed by Mr. Justice Martin for the hearing of the case of Smith v. the Empress of Japan.

The matter of expense curtailed in keeping the witnesses will be brought up after the trial.

Draping Public Buildings.—A squad of decorators from Spencer's Arcade have been at work draping the front of the parliament buildings, and the effect is exceedingly appropriate to the sail occasion. Great pains have been taken to do justice to the work in hand, the idea in view being carried out with much good taste.

Teachers' Salaries.—At the private meeting of the board of school trustees after the regular meeting on Monday evening, the question of teachers' salaries was considered. The assistant teachers who were entitled to it received the statutory increase of \$5 per month. The only other change was one in the salary of Mr. E. H. Russell, of the High school staff, whose salary was raised from \$90 to \$100, making it the same as that paid Mr. Pineo, the other High school assistant.

Farmers' Institute.—The annual meeting of the Victoria District Farmers' Institute was held at Royal Oak school house last Friday evening. The officers elected for the current year are as follows: President, J. Shapland; vice-president, C. E. McKay; secretary-treasurer, C. E. King; director, Messrs. Wm. Thompson, H. A. Munro, H. T. Oldfield and T. J. Layritz; auditors, Messrs. A. G. Snelling and J. R. Carmichael. The banquet, which was postponed on account of the death of Queen, will be held in Agricultural hall, Saanich on March 1.

Obtained Certificates.—The following non-commissioned officers and men of the Fifth Regiment have obtained certificates at the special course of instruction recently held by the officer commanding the Royal Garrison Artillery, Esquimalt: Corp. Currie, grade B, class first; Gr. F. Hilton, grade B, class second; Gr. J. H. Sweet, grade B, class first; Gr. C. E. O'Brien, grade B, class second; Gr. C. E. Berkley, grade B, class first; Gr. W. A. Mulrady, grade B, class second. The certificates may be had on application, by those entitled to the acting adjutant.

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**AFTE**

**NOON SESSION.**

Resuming in the afternoon, Mr. Duff read to the jury the report of examinations in previous cases which have a bearing on the trial now proceeding.

Mr. Bodwell also put in papers in connection with probate proceedings in the matter of the wills of Messrs. Shed and Scarce, shareholders, who have since died. With this Mr. Bodwell announced that this was the case for the plaintiff.

Mr. Davis wished to make the contention that the defence disputed that Mr. Mackintosh had any authority from the company to sign the agreement referred to, but that matter would be dealt with later on. Mr. Davis did not think it necessary to indulge in a lengthy examination of the defence, as it was clear that the defence had signed up by the plain facts. The evidence set up by the plaintiff had referred to an agreement with the Peirsons that they were to receive as much as the minority.

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## Finance and Commerce

## ON WALL STREET.

New York, Jan. 29.—The stock was again dominated by Chicago, Milwaukee, and Boston, and with some incidental distinction from the market direction of American Steel & Wire.

These stocks really made the market prices. Southern Pacific was a notable exception to the general tendency of the market. It was bought largely in New York and in the after-trading, ranged extremely, 15 to 47, carrying some other stocks, notably the grangers and Pacifics, with it. But the weakness in the two leaders carried prices, except for Southern Pacific, down again, leaving only a few of the smaller stocks, and a large list of losses. Mobile and Ohio made a rise of 6%, accompanied by rumors of absorption or control by the Illinois Central.

New York Central & Hudson gained two points on very light transactions, and Manhattan Elevator and U. S. Leather showed signs of strength.

## NEW YORK STOCKS.

New York, Jan. 29.—The closing quotations on the Stock Exchange to day were as follows:

American Tobacco ..... 144  
American Sugar ..... 134  
Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe ..... 46  
A. T. & S. F., pfd. ..... 85  
American Steel & Wire ..... 40  
American Sugar ..... 88  
Baltimore & Ohio, pfd. ..... 85  
Brooklyn Rapid Transit ..... 76  
Chesapeake & Ohio ..... 38  
Chicago, Burlington & Quincy ..... 143  
Chicago Gas ..... 99  
Chicago Rock Island & Pacific ..... 124  
Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul ..... 151  
Continental Tobacco, pfd. ..... 95  
Consolidated Gas, N. Y. ..... 194  
Colorado Fuel & Iron ..... 75  
C. C. & St. L. ..... 153  
Federal Steel ..... 43  
Federal Steel, x'd. ..... 43  
General Electric ..... 191  
Illinois Central ..... 125  
Ind. Gas & Power, pfd. ..... 87  
Louisville & Nashville ..... 117  
Manhattan Elevator ..... 87  
National Pacific ..... 87  
Metropolitan Tractation ..... 162  
Northern Pacific, com. new ..... 85  
New York Central & Hudson ..... 125  
New York, Lake Erie & Western ..... 275  
N. Y. L. E. & W., 2nd pfd. ..... 47  
New York, Ontario & Western ..... 314  
Pacific Gas & Electric, com. ..... 47  
Pressed Steel, com. ..... 37  
Pressed Steel, pfd. ..... 79  
Philadelphia & Reading, all paid ..... 314  
Pittsburgh & Lake Erie, all paid ..... 200  
Southern Railway, com. ..... 196  
Southern Railway, pfd. ..... 74  
Southern Pacific ..... 467  
Tennessee Coal & Iron ..... 573  
Texas Pacific ..... 28  
U. S. Leather ..... 148  
U. S. Rubber, pfd. ..... 57  
U. S. Rubber, com. ..... 60  
U. S. Rubber, pfd. ..... 84  
Union Pacific ..... 134  
Wabash ..... 28  
Wabash, pfd. ..... 82  
Wabash, com. ..... 82  
Commercial Cable ..... 160 to 168  
P. R. in London ..... 904  
Money on call steady, at 15 to 20 per cent.

## How It Goes in San Francisco

During the present cold and grippe season forty-eight thousand seven hundred and twenty-five boxes of Bromo-Catrine have been purchased by the following wholesale drug houses of San Francisco: Redington & Co., Langley & Michael Co., Mack & So., and Richards & Co.

## A WISE SUGGESTION.

Chinese, Jan. 29.—The leading futures closed as follows:

Wheat—Jan. 74½; Feb. 74½; May 70½; Corn—Jan. 27; Feb. 37; May 39; Oats—Jan. 23 to 23½; May 25½.

## TORONTO MINING QUOTATIONS.

(Furnished by A. W. More & Co., Ltd.)

Toronto, Jan. 29.—The closing quotations to day were as follows:

Asked Bid.

Black Gold Fields ..... 1½ 3  
Black Tail ..... 11 8  
Brandon and Golden C. ..... 8 4  
Canadian G. F. S. ..... 7½ 7½  
Cariboo McKinney ..... 40 37  
Cariboo Hydraulic ..... 1.05 1.50  
Carmarthen ..... 1.35 1.00  
Carmarthen, N. F. ..... 1.35 1.00  
Carmarthen Pass, Com. ..... 75.00 65.00  
California ..... 5½ 3½  
Deep Trail Con. ..... 3½ 2½  
Evening Star ..... 7 5½  
Fairview Corp. ..... 3½ 3  
Giant ..... 4½ 3½  
Imperial Mask ..... 4½ 3½  
Imperial Blaine ..... 9 4  
Knob Hill ..... 60 45  
Granby Smelter ..... 45½ 43  
Montreal and London ..... 8½ 5½  
Montreal Glory ..... 8½ 5½  
Mountain Lion ..... 6½ 5½  
Mountain Lion ..... 40 20  
Noble Fly ..... 4 2  
North Star ..... 90 84  
Old Ironsides ..... 75 60  
Papineau ..... 63 50  
Thunder Cariboo Con. ..... 23 31½  
Granby ..... 51 46  
Sovereign ..... 8½ 5  
Vimy ..... 35 30½  
Eagle Con. ..... 28 2½  
Watson ..... 10 4½  
White Bear ..... 3 4  
Wingfield ..... 13 12½

## FORENOM SALES.

White Bear—200 at 4½%.

Cariboo McKinney—10,000 at 37½.

Sullivan—1,000 at 12½%.

## AFTERNOM SALES.

Falsetto—1,000 at 3½%.

Van Andra—5,000 at 15%.

Waterloo—500, 500 at 25%.

Cariboo McKinney—1,000, 500 at 38%.

Iron Mask—1,000 at 42%.

WHERE THE SHOE PINCHED.

The Prima Donna (after the first act)—I won't go on again unless that box party make less noise. I nearly had hysterics!

The Manager (in surprise)—I didn't hear any noise.

The Prima Donna—You didn't? Why they encorced that upstart or a contrite four times!—Puck.

## DAILY MARKET QUOTATIONS.

(Furnished by B. Williams & Co.)

New York, Jan. 29.—The following quotations ruled on the Stock Exchange to day:

Ann. Sugar ..... 134½ 134½ 133½ 131½

Ann. Tob. ..... 114½ 114½ 114½ 113½

P. G. Chicago ..... 90½ 100½ 99½ 99½

C. M. & St. P. ..... 152½ 152½ 151½ 151½

C. B. & Q. ..... 133½ 144½ 142½ 143½

M. S. R. & P. ..... 121½ 121½ 120½ 120½

G. E. T. ..... 70½ 77½ 70½ 70½

A. & S. F. pfd. ..... 84½ 85½ 84½ 85

S. P. com. ..... 45½ 47 45½ 47

A. S. & W. com. ..... 40½ 41½ 39½ 39½

B. & O. ..... 57½ 58½ 57½ 57½

L. & P. com. ..... 83½ 83½ 83½ 83½

Con. Tob. ..... 45 45 44½ 44½

Fed. Steel ..... 42 43½ 41 42½

N. P. com. ..... 57½ 57½ 57½ 57½

T. C. & I. ..... 40½ 40½ 45½ 45½

A. & S. F. com. ..... 83½ 83½ 83½ 83½

W. D. ..... 83½ 83½ 83½ 83½

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## PASSENGERS.

By steamer State of California from San Francisco:

G. C. Elliott ..... Mrs. Todd

A. H. Cameron ..... R. J. Chick

M. G. Randall ..... J. W. Thompson

Passengers per steamer Schome from the Sound:

A. N. Roberts ..... H. R. Walker

H. E. Whitecombe ..... J. Stuart

T. H. Smith ..... J. Partridge

L. H. Day ..... Geo. Corr

W. Edwards ..... J. Brown

L. Swanson ..... J. J. Maxwell

E. A. Brewster ..... Miss Weston

J. Murphy ..... T. S. Gore

J. Wicks ..... Geo. W. Reay

By steamer Charmer from Vancouver:

H. E. Whitecombe ..... Miss Williams

G. Filton ..... Miss Johnson

A. O. Schreiber ..... Miss Ostorn

B. J. Perry ..... A. Hawley

C. A. Holland ..... C. A. Holland

Jno. Mowat ..... Master Holland

E. H. Powell ..... W. E. Baker

Angus McLeod ..... W. E. Maclellan

M. L. Holland ..... W. C. Nichol

J. D. Fletcher ..... J. D. Prentice

J. Herod ..... Mrs. T. V. Biens

F. C. Jones ..... A. Seroux

W. H. Durand ..... A. R. E. Sowdon

F. C. Newson ..... Mr. Lang

J. G. Scott ..... Miss Lang

A. H. Baker ..... Mr. McCombe

R. Hamilton ..... J. Thornton

By steamer Rosalie from the Sound:

Mrs. Johnson ..... G. W. Benson

H. H. Hinschbaum ..... Miss Lewis

T. Gilman ..... J. Lucas

L. Stetson ..... F. Gray

G. H. Hinsch ..... C. H. Stanley

A. M. Trab ..... M. Bassett

D. C. Ulrich ..... O. Nelson

Z. Nicholas ..... B. Robinson

E. Fraser ..... J. McDonald

W. A. Cooper ..... J. Harlen

R. Morrow ..... W. C. Chas.

G. E. Munroe ..... H. H. Peterson

R. H. Schommer ..... J. B. Hayes

R. H. Tholmer ..... R. H. Tholmer

Miss Jackson ..... J. Pottinger

H. Leonard ..... W. A. Kuehn

F. Bartolomew ..... J. K. Johnson

W. C. Johnson ..... Mrs. Johnson

D. A. Umer ..... Mrs. Lent

Wm. Cummins ..... Mrs. Chas. Morgan

Mrs. Cummins and sister ..... L. Schenck

E. H. Hinsch ..... E. H. Hinsch

W. C. Johnson ..... Mrs. Johnson

Mr. John Reed ..... Mrs. Reed

Mrs. Cunningham ..... Mrs. Livington

E. H. Wilson ..... T. C. Leaming

Mrs. Suly ..... M. F. H. Peters

Mrs. Peter ..... Mrs. Peters

R. Allen ..... M. Denver

Consignees per steamer Schome from the Sound:

A. H. Roberts ..... Vato & Brooks

H. H. Walker ..... P. W. Dempster

B. C. Furn. Co. ..... Pac. Cigar Co.

C. C. & Co. ..... C. C. & Co.

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